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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

WILLIAM J. FURNAS : Art Unit: 2878  
Serial No: 09/318,249 : Examiner: Thanh X. Luu  
Filed: May 25, 1999 : Docket No: 5298-18  
For: CONTAINER INSPECTION MACHINE

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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 26, 2004,  
applicant would like to make the following amendments